SALT

FALLING HAIR Plunte Pares, Bater Riv PERSONAL.

Mr. Hugh S. White who is attending lectures at the University Medical college in Richmond, spent Xmas here.

Mr. W. W. H. Harris, of Lynchburg, who has been the guest of his
mother, Mrs. C. J. Harris, has retorn-

Miss Janie White and .her cousin, Miss Prim Cameron, are the guests of Mrs. J. T. Fudge, near Covington.

Mrs. James S. Smith has as ber guest her daughter, Mrs. Edward

Xmas at her home near Collerstown. · Miss L lia Montgomery, of near Collierstown, spent her Xmasat home, She is a student at the Valley Semi-

nary at Waynesboro.

Mr. Jam's H. Harper, of Kerr's

Creek, had as his guest during Amas, his son Mr. Enunett Harpen, who is a bupil at the Valley High Abort.
Capt. J. D. Morrison, of Kerr's (reck, bad as his guest during the holidays, his son, Mr. W. R. Morrison, of Rockville, Md.

Mrs. Ann e Stanard, of Hinton W. Va., spent her holidays with mother here.

Mr. Arthur Shipp, of North Carolina, is the guest of his father, Gen. Scott

Shipp,
Misses Nannie, Mary Preston and
Margaret Graham, are at home from Baltimore, where they have been spending the winter.

Dr. H. A. White and wife, spent Xmas with Judge B. R. Welford, in Richmond. Capt. J. G. Cress and wife, spent

Xmas in Washington, P. C. Prof. E. W. Fay, of W. & L. U. spent his holidays in Lynchburg. Mr. William Hiteman and wife, spent Xmas with Mrs. Hileman's mother, Mrs. McClain, in Harrisonburg. Rev. Mr. Snuey, of this county fill d the pulpit of the Lutheran church

Mr. W. C. O. Varner who is teaching in the school of Prof. James H. Callison, fivar Greenville, spent Xmas at home here. Mr. Varner is a newspaper correspondent of decided while v.

Mrs. R. J. McBryde is visiting her sen in Baltimore, miss mary Wilson of South River, is

guest of Mrs. John Sale-Capt. and Mrs. M. B. Corse have re-

turned to Philadelphia -Mr. Jeseph Gillock, or Richmond, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Miss Mary Garing has rejuined Briningham.
from Dalton, Ga., where she spent the ROCKBRIDGE BOYS WILL SUC

Past few months.

Rev. E W. McCorkle, D. D., of Clifton Forge, one of the most promisent divines in the Southern Presbyterian church, was the guest of his his adopted home in Roanoke. He is brother C. E. McCorkle this weak.

accompanied by his friend, ar. Daniel Roanoke times. Nothing gives us Jacobs a prominent merchant of that more pleasure than to note the high town, were the guest of Mr. F. P. stand taken by the men of old Rock-Rhodes, several days during the holi- bit tge in their adopted homes.

Mr. C. Paul, of Cumb rland, Md., is the guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. W; S. Mackey, on Timber Ridge, Mr. Paul informs us that he made several attempts to get here from '61 to '65, but that his father-in-law was not so hos-

the executive committee of the Virginia Christian Endeavor-Union, which was held in Staunton last Saturday, Alexandria was selected as the p'ace for the next State C nvention, which w ll be held September 22-25.

Mr. T. S. Burrell, manager of the Mutual Telephone Exchan, e, spent Saturday in Staunton.

Dr. J. A. Quarles occapied the pulpit of the Second Presbyterian church in Staunton on Sunday

James River, Va., Dec. 1, 1897 .-The testimonials in favor of Hood s Sursaparilla are written by honest and trustworthy people, and are as worthy of confidence as if they came from your most trusted neighbor. "Our children were all taken very sick with what seemed like the grip. We began giv-ing them Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it seted like a charm. We think very highly of this medicine," Mrs. L. J.

Hood's Pills are the only pil's to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Easy

al Telephone office here was kindly remembered by the phone holders here and along the line with a purse con-taining over \$25,00 house was situated on a high his could be seen for miles around.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL ENTERTAIN-MENTS.

Notwithstanding that Santa Claus vi-its all the children in their homes every Christmas, yet they look for him to show himselt in the Sunday schools. This year preparations were made for the lit e folks as well as for the large

The entert inment at the Presbyterian church was held Thursday evening at six o'clock. A Christmas tree had been provided and it was beautfully decorated with bright ornaments and numerous aax candles, all I which presented a charming pic ure. he music for the occasion was unusually christmas dinners were served, and most every night a party of some de-Christmas carols.

of the most interest to the children was folks engaged in games and music at

The exercises were conducted by Mr. W. C. Stuart, superintendent of the Sunday school. After the rendering 29th. of a pleasing programme the treat was des ributed to the children

fore half past seven o'clock the Meth- Thursday n ght Dec. 30th. The usual odist church was filed with the mem- Council meeting was not held, but the chiefs at 25c. bees of the Sunday school and their friends, all eager to know what had been prepared for their enjoyment and entertainment. The pulpit had been decorated with flowers and ropes of Club of Whistle creek have had several Cooper, of West Va.

Miss Mary, daughter of Mr. Phil.
Huffman, who is a pupil of the Waynesboro Female college, spent waynesboro Female college, spent ted a beautiful speciacle. The exer-

> tauly entertained; for tes des the special song services and other exercises there was present a real live Sinta satisfied that it was Santa sure enough. Merrison

The Chris mas tree was so heavily Mr. J. W. Kirkpatrick, a student at laden that during the entertainment it the Dunsmore Business College, in Professor H. D. Campbell, of W. & fell over, disarr nging the decorations. L. U., has returned from attending It was righted however and the exerthe annual meeting of the Chemical cises proceeded. The children received their treat, the teachers their presents. Canada, on Dec. 27th. entertainment.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Lexington Lodge, No 66. Knights of Pythiaus, elected the following officers last Tuesday evening at their regular mee ing: Chancellor-Com-mander, A. B. Beckwith; Vice-Chancellor, Bennet: N. Bell; Prelate, Joseph B. Holmes; Master of Work. James H. Tolley; Master of Exchequer, A. T. Shields; Master of Finance, W. C. Gordan; Ke per of Records and Seals, M. L. Hildebrand; Master of Arms, Charles L. Tankersley; Inner Guard, Dr. A. I. Est ll; Outer Guard, Dr. F. V. Clark; Representative to the Grand Lodge, Robert H, Gillock.

fill d the pulpit of the Lutheran church in Bridgewater, on Sunday Dec. 26.

Mr. Michael McNamara has as has guest his son, Mr. M. V. McNamara, of the N. & W. R. R.

Mrs. D. C. Irwin had as her guest might, the following officers were elected:—Councillor, H. W. Amole; View Councillor, A. W. Manspile; Recording Secretary, H. C. Bowyer, Assistant Recording Secretary, W. G. Roderick, Financial Secretary, L. A. Kennon: Treasurer J. A. Ayres, Conductor, B. D. Radford, Warden, Wm. Senl; Inside Sentinel, Geo. Ayres; Ontside Sentinel, Brank Room, Jr. P. Councillor, F. L. turned to Philadelphia

Mr. Thornburg, of Staunton, is the guest of his un. Robert Gillock,

Mr. Joseph Gillock, or Richmond, is visiting friends, and relatives here.

The Robert Gillock, W. R. Beeton, F. L. Young. Representative to State Council, J. P. B rmingham.

CEED.

Prof. Charles . Kregloe, whose Professor of Latin in Alleghany Insti-Mr. A. G. Rhodes, of Stanardsville, tute in that city, and the editor of the

KIND WORDS.

Clemson College, S. C., Dec. 13, 197 EDITORS LEXINGTON GAZETTE, Lex ngton, Va.

Enclosed please find \$1.50, conpitable in those days.

Messrs Robt. E. Hutton and Wm.

R. Kennedy attended a meeting of GAZETTE, Sept. 1st. '97 to Sept. 1st. '98 Keep your paper bright and "newsy," as I am dependent upon you for information about my old home.

With best wishes for you and all

my old friends. Yours very truly, M. B. HARDIN.

Wonders Never Cease.

No one need suffer the tortures of rheumatism, because that modern liniment, Salvation Oil, positively cures it. "I was a great sufferer from sciatic rheumatism, and the best of doctors attended me without relief. I commenced using Salvation Oil, and two bottles-helped me wonderfully. It certainly has worked wonders with me. Mrs. E. J. Phelps, Box 28, Enfield, Conn." Salvation Oil is for sale by all dealers for 25 cts. Take no substitute.

HOUSE BURNED.

Early Monday morning a house of Mrs. Samuel Adair in the Barrens about two and a half m less from Alone, at the table to the undertaking will be present. Miss Lou Fuller the pretty and time occu, ied by Mr. George Shoefaithful operator of the Central Mutu-maker, caught fire from the smokehouse and was entirely destroyed, The house was situated on a high hil and

KERR'S CREEK CULLINGS

Kerr's Creek, Va., Jan. 3, 1898 -- Christmas festivities are passing by, and the bright new year has comme ic ed his work which Father lime has lail out for him. He, the gallant young ninety-eight, has come to be a guest of all, and though his life is not yet long, we must entertain him as best we can, un il he lay down his book and pen and closes it's eyes forever.

The old year, as usual, pa sed away amid many joys and some sorrows; however there were very few d aths and not much sickness in this community Gayety and joy prevailed throughout the holidays. The usual scription was given.

The part of the programme that was - On Xmas night a crowd of young the most interest to the condren was the many good things that had been provided for them and which were temptingly arrayed in ful view of their little glistening eyes.

In the most interest to the condren was the home of Mr. Procter. On Tuesday night, 28th, a party of the same description as above was given at the home of Mr. Frank Thomps in Also a

A pound party was given at High-les ributed to the children.

On the same evening some time bebers of the Friends of Temperance, on

subdued light of colored lamps, preserted a beautiful speciacle. The exercises consisted of songs, reciations, and esponsive readings, conducted by the superintendent, Frof. S. T. Moreland.

The enter-ainment at the Baptist Sunday school was held Friday evening a six o'clock. A large crawd gather ed in the church and they were pleasted in the church and they were pleasted in the church and they were pleasted.

Wies Ressie Penick has been specially and the church and they were pleasted in the church and they were pleasted.

Miss Bessie Penick has been spend-

ing Xmas at her home in Lexington.

Mr. William Morrison, who has been Claus, with his I ng beard, fleecy coat teaching in Maryland, is spending and bells. At least, the children were well Christmas with his father, Mr. J. D.

Staunton, spent a few days with his parents on Whis le creek

S. M. Dunlap, R. K. Dunlap, C. E. Harper and F. Teaford, students of New Providence Academy, and the Velley High school, spent the holidays with their parents. Andy Lowman, of Knoxville, Tean.

who has been spending the past week with his sisters the Misses Low nan, has returned to his home. Egbert Proctor, of milboro, spent

several days with his parents. miss Sue E. Lowman has been indispo e i for several days, bu is some what better now. The oyster supper which took place

at Union schoolhouse on Dec. 24th, and more each year. They are appro was a success financially. Qui e a neat sum was realized, considering the small ______

miss Annie Tolly, who lived near the Big Spring, died Tuesday Dec. 28th, of diph heria. There are several more cases in the family.

Mrs. E. A. Whitmore and daugater, and is made into match safes, condleriss Je-se, spent the holidays at sticks, thermometers, jewel boxes, flower miss Je-se, spent the holidays at We are very sorry to part with Dr. pretty goods, and you ought to see them,

David on. The few years in which he practiced here he gained the good will ware. Butter dishes, cake baskets, moand confidence of the people. He wil lasses stands, cream jars, spoon stands, &c. be greatly missed both as a doctor a d

Messrs E. A. and D. E. Moore, of Lexington, spent Friday here hunting with W. W. Dunlap

Messrs W. S. Hopkins, and J. Will

Moore, were also out hunting Friday: The Misses Hickman and Hamilton and Messrs Hart and Hamilton, who are attedding school in Lexington, spent the holidays at thir home. I hope our representatives in the Legislature will oppose the caule quarantiue.

If the present cold weather continwell stocked.—

ues we all hope to fill our ice-houses.

HOME MARRIAGE.

NEWMAN-WILBOURN,

The marriage of Mr Charles Kemp Newman and Miss Lydia Wilbourn was selemnized at 1 o'clock to-day at the home of the bride's at I o'clock to-day at the home of the bride's parents in this place. The parlor was tastefully decorated with potted plants, evergreens, and mistletoe. An altar was creeted, over which hung clusters of mistletoe. The room was darkened, and with subdued colored lights presented a beautiful appearance.

The attendants were Mr. Harry Thompson, best man; Miss Annie Krause, maid of honor; Dr. F. V. Clark and Mr. Alfred Wilbourn, groomsmen: Misses 'Nettie Deaver

honor; Dr. F. V. Clark and Mr. Alfred Wilbourn, groomsmen; Misses 'Nettie Deaver and Bessie Boley, bridesmaids.

At the appointed time the two groomsmen entered, followed by the two bridesmaids; after whom came the groom with his best man, followed by the bride with her unaid of honor. The ecremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Thornton Whaling in the presence of a few of the immediate friends of the family.

ence of a few of the immediate irrends of the family.

The bride was becomingly aftired in green broadcloth trimmed in black bra'd, and carried bride's roses. The maid of honor was gowned in white silk; the bridesmaids were dressed in white organdie all of whom carried mistletoe and ferns.

The bride is the attractive and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilbourn of this place, and is deservedly copular in the community. The groom is a

Wilbourn of this place, and is deservedly popular in the community. The groom is a son of Mr, and Mrs. J. C. Newman of High land county, and is well and favorably known in Lexington, where he was at one time engaged in business. At present he is traveling for a New York cigar house.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Newman took the 2 o'clock train over the B, and O, railroad for Staunton and other points. The guests from a distance were the bride's sister. Mrs. C. S. Miller of Shepherdstown, W. Va., and the groom's father, Mr. J. C. Newman, of Highland.

BEECH ENBROOK MISSION.

The Presbyterian church has determined to op in a Mission at Beechenbrook Chapel. It is to be strictly non-sectarian, and will be under the charge of Dr. Jas. Λ. Quarles D. D.

There will be a meeting of Lee-Jackson Camp C, V, held at the Masonic Temple, on Saturday, January 8th. at 10 a, m. It is hoped there will be a full attendance of the members as business of great importance will be transacted.

We Want Your

Trade.

Handkerchiefs.

both for men and women.

my store; it is the novelties you want-we

They come all shades, tans, browns, greys,

We had a big lot of nice umbrellas made

The whole store is covered apparently

with holiday linens. When the ladies get into them and get them scattered around,

as I am glad to have them do, I wonder if

I will ever sell them all. Well, they are

going, and going fast, too !-Ought to do so, and will do so. They are pretty, are inexpensive, useful, and well adapted for

We have lots of other useful things such

as dress goods, blankets, rugs, cloaks, shoes,

&c. All the useful things are given more

from 10 to 25c.

have them at low prices.

Kid Gloves

and Umbrellas.

ox-blood, cream and blacks.

Holiday Linens.

like to give or receive.

Christmas presents.

Miscellaneous.

Fancy Goods.

Our Grocery

Department.

feet, such as

Citron.

Candies.

sell at 35c.

confetcions.

December 15, 1897

Perfect Health.

Chocolate,

all the good things to make your cakes per-

de., de.

You will find our Grocery Departmen

Prunes, Evaporated Fruits,

Pickles, Mince Meat, Olivos, Pum Puddings, Canned Goods,

Y u will want some Christmas candies,

nice, attractive boxes, containing Bonbons,

are fine candies, and not expensive; at

least not with us, for we sell Lowney's

Also nuts, almonds, dates, &c., and all those things that make Christmas memor-

able to parents, too; but not likely so, if

you buy them pure and unadulterated

Now, do not put off shopping too late.

A few days prior to Christmas the town

is full of people, and we find it hard to give each customer as much attention as

we would like. Every store is crowded. Besides this, things get picked over, and you can't always do as well as you could

J. McD. ADAIR.

Keep the system in perfect or-

der by the occasional use of

Tutt's Liver Pills. They reg-

ulate the bowels and produce A Vigorous Body.

For sick headache, malaria, bil-

iousness, constipation and kin-

dred diseases, an absolute cure

TUTT'S Liver PILLS

Lots of plain candies, too,

Raisins,

Currants

Almonds,

Natural Bridge, Va., Jan. 3, 1898. Not much news of interest at the B.idge. Christmas with us was unusally du'l in point of entertainments and Christmas Monday the 27th, was celebrated by a shooting contest, many turkeys were

won and lost, and wound up in a jubilee, whiskey playing an important part.

There is considerable talk of petition ing Judge Houston for a special election

BRIDGE BREVITIES.

Yes, we do. to decide whether we shall have license or no license to sell whiskey in this distriet. Many people favor the move.

Mormon Elders have visited this sec-We have the goods to tion at times for the past three or four interest you-the useful the nice, the inexpenyears but are making more frequent
visits of late. They made a determined

sive things-just such effort to get the use of the Baptist things as you want to church here, but of course, were promptly refused. They go in pairs, and many different pairs have been seen passing here of late. They all seem to stop at

the same places.

The real estate of S. B. Christian, situhundred dozen select from. Just think of a ladies' all-lem, semstitched handker-chief as low as 56; better ones at 10c.;

Ino real estate of S. B. Christian, situated three miles north of here, consisting of about 400 acres of land, was sold at public auction recently by G. D. Letcher and C. R. Leech are in the consisting of about 400 acres of land, was sold at public auction recently by G. D. Letcher and C. R. Leech are in the consisting of about 400 acres of land, was sold at public auction recently by G. D. We have the finest collection that has ver graced our shelves. Over five at public auction recently by G. D. Letcher and C. R. Leech, special com-missioners, to Dr. A. N. Johnston at about \$1,900. This is a very small price for this property, and it is expected an up-set bid will be put in. Mr. Isaac A. Miller has taken charge Abig lot of men's silk initial handker-

A big lot of men's linen handkerchiefs of the postoffice here and has moved it You can find common handkerchiefs in into the store.

Miss Sallie Johnston who was at home with her father for the Xmas helidays, returned to Danville to-day to resume her studies at Roanoke Female College. Miss Blanche E. Burger has returned from Roanoke and Salemwhere she vis-

ited friends for a month.

Miss Matilda Houston is visiting re These are some things you can't ever latives and friends in West Virginia. make a mistake on. Every lady and Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Mason, Jr., spent gentleman is pleased with a nice pair of kid gloves or an umbrella. We have a

the holidays in Botetourt with relatives. big stock of gloves, with all kinds of fast-enings, Foster Hook, button, clasps, etc. Mr. W. E. Arnold, who has a position with a wholesale house in Winchester, was at home for a short stay during Christmas.

Miss Mattie Armistead spent Xmas with Mrs. S. W. Arnold.

we had a vig tot of nice umbrellas made up just for the holiday trade. Nice, pretty handles, slender staffs and close rolling, pretty tips, etc. Just the thing you would Miss Hattie Hughes, of Fluvanna county, will open a private school at the Bridge to-day. There are many child-ren at and near the Bridge who have no school advantages at all. This will partly supply the need, but the Natural Bridge School Board are to blame and should be held responsible for this neglect of duty.

We believe it to be to the best inter-

est of the people to change officers frequently whether the office be large or small, whether the onice be large or small, whether it pays a large salary or only carries the smallest power or in-fluence with no salary—it is healthy to change and air the office.

GLASGOW GLEANINGS.

Glasgow, Va., Jan., 3, 1898. Well, Christmas is over and all our people have settled down to business

We did not send you anything from We have the fancy and the sentimental. Have one line that is a real novelty—new Glasgow last week but it was not because the turkey shooting in any way interfered. We were therea short time to us. It is made of red cedar and ash, early in the day but left before the fracas began in which somenine or ten persons were engaged. Indeed, almost every vases, and various other things. Real one we met left about the same time that we did, so no one saw anything wrong except a stranger that happened to be passing through town that morning, who said he saw a man or two crawling out

After all, Christmas without something good to eat would be a failure. We have ing up stock, holidays etc. They are now getting in a stock of "natural leaf" to work up. As they have recently re-modeled the lower floor of the Masonic Temple and moved in, and as R. A. Howell, the general manager, has returned from his holiday vacation, there can they were after was be no doubt but that they will start up my money, and they

On December 30, H. Peyton Gray, trustee, sold at public auction a small house and stable on Anderson street. Pe-ru-na Almanac. B. G. Baldwin, Esq., was the purchaser at \$100.

and the many other things you would expect to find in a well equipped Grocery. You may want to give some friend a box of nice Cigars. Try us on a box. Keep fine goods at low prices. Our public school teachers resumed their labors to-day after a holiday of ten or twelve days, and the little ones may be seen in the mornings trooping in from

all points of the compass.

G. W. Jones, who has been at home for the holidays, returned to Lexington too. We have them! Now selling lots of Lowney's celebrated candies, put up in to-day to finish his session at school.

Miss Willie Moose will return to Lynchburg in a few days where she is attending school.

Charles B. Lackey, of R. G. Paxton & Burnt Almonds, Chocolates, &c. They

Co., left for Richmond a few days ago to spend his New Year. Souvenir Boxes at 25c, that are made to

Charles H. Locher, Esq., has returned from a business trip to Richmond. Skating is all the go here now but we have one young man and young lady that swore off Saturday. (We call no names.) They went around on the ice together till it broke, and then they went into the water together. The young man lost one of his skates and all his gallantry. He says he will not go skating with a lady any more.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Chency & Co, doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aformid, and that said from will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON.

Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous aurfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo. O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best. Mrs Capt, Jacob Roderick is in Newport News, visiting her daughter, Mrs. Henry R. Holmes.

Miss Evelyn Nelson gave a delightful New Year musicale to her friends on Saturday Freeman, Saturday, January 15th.

There is no

holy recollections cluster as that of "MOTHER"—she who watched over our helpless infancy and guided our first tottering step. Yet the life of every Expectant Motiner is beset with danger and all ef-fort should be made to avoid it.

Mother's so assists nature in the change taking place that the Expectant Friend Mother is ena-bled to look forward without

dread, suffering or gloomy fore-bodings, to the hour when she experiences the joy of Motherhood. Its use insures safety to the lives of both Mother and Child, and she is found stronger after than before confinement—in short, it "makes Childbirth natural and easy," as so many have said. Don't be persuaded to use anything but

MOTHER'S FRIEND

"My wife suffered more in ten min-utes with either of her other two chil-dren than she did altogether with her last, having previously used four bot-tles of 'Mother's Friend.' It is a blessing to any one expecting to be-come a MOTHER," says a customer. HENDERSON DALE, Carmi, Illinois.

Of Druggists at \$1.00, or sent by express on receipt of price. Write for book containing testimonials and valuable information for all Mothers, frea The Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.

SERIOUSLY BURNED.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Margaret Paul, aged about 55 years, was badly burned on hands, arms, and body, caused by falling in the fire. Medical aid was at once summoned and every attention given the sufferer. Mr. Paul, wife and child came here a

short time ago from West Virginia. ...

UNITED WITH THE CHURCHES

Since the meetings in the churches here closed, a number of persons have united with the different churches. Most of these made professions at the Pearson meetings. Some, however, pro-fessed converson at the meetings held in the Baptist and Methodist churches Up to date six have joined the Baptist church, twenty-seven the Methodist church, and about fifty the Presbyterian

DIED IN LYNCHBURG.!

On Saturday Mr. B. B. Brown died at his home in Lynchburg, aged fifty seven years. His remains were brought to Lexington Sunday evening and burried here monday morning, Dr. J. T. Wightman conducting services at the grave.

Mr. Brown married Miss Elizabeth Imboden of this place, and for a num-ber of years lived in Lexington. About thirty years ago he removed with his family to Lynchburg, where they have since resided.

He is servived by he widow and four children, two girls and two boys.

MR. STABLER SAYS.

Local Treatment For Catarrh Does No Good.

only passing through town, we don't know where to look for him, so he is not available as a witness.

Our tabases feature is not still a second of the secon Our tobacco factory is starting up and they did me no good; I tried a caagain after a short shut down for clear- tarrh balm and it did me no good; our home doctor and his medicine did meno good; I tried a Fort Wayne doctor and he did me no good.

I gave them all up, for they were doing me no good. All got it, and that was all they wanted. Then I got a I read it all through

and saw that Pe-ru-na was highly recommended for catarrh. I took eight bottles and they cured me sound and well. I am 59 years old and I can do a Proper Remedy good day's work right along. I think Pe-ru-na is the best medicine that was ever got up for catarrh. I think every one that has catarrh should use it, as I believe it will do the same for others as it has done for me."

Send to The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio, for Dr. Hartman's free book on catarrh.

Ask your druggist for a free Pe-ru-na Almanac for 1898.

A NEW ENGINE.

The kitchen of the Virginia Military Institute mess-hall has been equipped with a new twelve-horse power engine in order to supply the necessary steam for cooking and heating.

Thousands suffer from Catarrh or cold in head and have never tried the popular remedy. There is no longer any excuse as a 10 cent trial size of Ely's Gream Balm can be ead of your druggist or we mail it for 10 cents. Full size 50 cents.

ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City. A friend advised me to try Ely's Cream Balm and after using it six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrh, It is a most valuable remody—Joseph Stewart, 624 Grand Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

New Year's night a special serenade was
tendered the Misses Wilson, of Washington
and Lee University; Col. R. A. Marr, Col.
Hunter Pendleton, Col. David Price, professors of the Virginia Military Institute;
Miss Lucy Shipp and her guest, Miss Ellen
Lee, by the following members of the first
class of the Virginia Military Institute:
Cadets R. C. Marshall (mandolin), H. S.
Estill (elide trombone), A. C. Crump (drum);
F. S. Hereford (tambourine); J. D. Taylor
(bones); J. L., Sneed (slide trombone); H. G.
Ellett (cow bell); W. A. Manell (mandoline);
H. S. Percival (French harp and guitar); C.
C. Schoen (violin), and Professor A. M.
Shipp (sobo), and Mr. David Barclay (swinette).

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU

Among other good resolutions resolve to buy your Shoes of the Shoe Store. It will pay you.

A lot of broken sizes in ladies' and men's shoes greatly reduced. Come

All sorts of gum shoes, gum boots and Arctic

Thanks for your patronage during the year now closing. We want to see more of you

Head and Feet Fitters.

TO BE ON THE

XMAS . PRESENTS. >

SUCH AS Napkins, full 20 inches, for \$1 per dozen.
Eight dollar Jackets reduced to \$5.
Seven dollar Jackets reduced to \$5.
Other Wraps reduced in same proportion.
Kid Gloves, \$1 a pair, genuine imported will be \$1.50.
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